

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 IO-14 ISO-00 NSCE-00 INRE-00 OIC-04

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FM AMEMBASSY BONN

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 9088

SECDEF WASHDC IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY VIENNA PRIORITY

USMISSION NATO BRUSSELS PRIORITY

USMISSION GENEVA

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VIENNA FOR MBFR DEL. GENEVA FOR CSCE DEL

E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PARM, GW

SUBJECT: MBFR: STABILIZING MEASURE

REF: USNATO 5708

1. RUTH TOLD EMBOFF DEC. 5 THAT, IN INTEREST OF  
ALLIANCE SOLIDARITY, INSTRUCTION IS BEING SENT TO FRG  
NATO DEL AUTHORIZING ACCEPTANCE OF SPC PACKAGE  
(REFTEL-PARA 1), INCLUDING APPLICABILITY OF FOUR  
MEASURES TO US AND SOVIET FORCES ONLY IN FIRST  
INSTANCE, AS LONG AS US IS READY TO DROP "LOCATIONS"  
FEATURE FROM MEASURE III; BONN IS RELUCTANTLY  
PREPARED TO ACCEPT "NUMBERS" FEATURE IN  
MEASURE III. RUTH SAID BONN ALSO HOPES, BUT WILL NOT  
INSIST, ON US SUPPORT FOR MEASURE F IN FORM OF  
DECLARATION RATHER THAN AGREEMENT. OTHER ASPECTS OF  
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SPC PACKAGE ACCEPTABLE TO FRG. SPC PACKAGE DOES NOT IN

GERMAN VIEW ENTAIL DROPPING OF PRE-REDUCTION  
CONSTRAINT CONCEPT BUT RUTH NOTED ALLIED CONSENSUS THAT  
AGREEMENT ON PRE-REDUCTION MEASURES IS NOT A  
PRE-CONDITION TO REDUCTION AGREEMENT.  
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